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## Great Slaughter on the 1st

### Breezellets

Still more time left, it seems, for some enterprising out of the town port to announce the probable arrival there of the Bremen

Rumania has at last thrown in her lot with the Allies.

And it is to be hoped that she will not Ru(her)mania by so doing.

Greece, too, is deciding to join with the Allies.

The Allies were making it so hot for Greece, that she felt she would soon be reduced to but a grease spot on the map.

King Constantine has abdicated the throne in favor of his son the Crown Prince.

What with the influence of his German spouse and the pressure of the Allies at Salonica, King Constantine has been constantly between the devil and the blue sea.

Abdication was the easiest route out of his dilemma.

"Is Hungary working for a separation?" says a news item.

Shouldn't wonder. A hungry man generally feels a sort of internal separation around his solar-plexus.

"Bulgarians begin to back up with the Servians after them," reads a dispatch.

And very soon it will be a "squeeze up" and a "freeze up" with the Bulgarians between the Allied armies.

From Amsterdam comes the report that General Jostoff, chief of the Bulgarian general staff, has committed suicide.

That is, General Jostoff just shuffled off this mortal coil.

Now some smart Alec, we suppose, will be wondering whether it was King Ferdinand that put the mania in Rumania.

Just to show that she is not yet out of the frying pan into the fire, Bulgaria lets it be known that she is in Greece.

### Empire After the War

#### MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S PROPHECY OF GREATER COHESION

The following is an account of a recent meeting held in London (Eng.), which may be of interest to Canadians :

"Mr. Lloyd George was present on Monday at a review of a Canadian division by General Sir Sam Hughes.

Addressing the officers at the close of the review Mr. Lloyd George paid a tribute to the fine body of men comprising the division, and said it was a wonderful thing that in the third year of the war, when our foe was beginning to get exhausted, we were preparing to pour in troops, which gave us confidence. Canada had sent thousands of men to the war, and had many more in reserve. That gave the hope and conviction of ultimate victory."

"I am here," said Lloyd George, "a Briton to thank Canada for her contribution. We know what you did in the second battle at Ypres, when you saved Calais. Just as the Rocky Mountains hurl back the storms of the West so did those heroes break the hurricane of German fury."

"We are federating this great Empire for greater enterprises in the future. But as it was before it will never be again; it will be one great coherent unity which will do more to mould and direct the destiny of the world than any in the past. As I saw these battalions marching past I was filled with pride in their prowess, strength, and promise of what will be done. I know the victory they will help to bring to the cause of humanity and freedom, and from the bottom of my heart, Sir Sam, I congratulate you who have helped to raise them and those who command them. In the struggle that is in front of you may the Lord of Hosts be with you."

Competent authorities estimate that about 500,000 Germans have been disabled in the Verdun region alone since February 21, the beginning of the great German offensive there. The total number of wounded German prisoners taken in the Verdun sector and in the neighborhood of the Somme exceeds 43,000.

Later dispatches tell of a great banquet given by the local Order of Oddfellows in honor of the great victory of the local duck battalion, where the spoils of the day were divided and sampled, the general verdict being—the best yet!

Rumania seems to have made quite a splash when she made her plunge.

### Another Big Battle

#### THE BIG DRIVE ON SOMME FRONT

#### SOME LOCAL MEN IN THE THICK OF THE BATTLE

There was an awful slaughter of the innocents on Somme front on Friday morning last, the fierce battle raging all day along a battle front stretching out for some miles. Trenches (and some ditches) were taken from the enemy. A large number of prisoners fell into the hands of our gallant troops, some of whom were badly wounded, besides a goodly number of dead 'uns. The scenes of carnage, as described by eye-witnesses, were fearful to behold, and were enough to break a heart of stone. The foe beat a hasty retreat, leaving many dead on the battle field. The retreating enemy was heavily shelled from our pom-poms, pump guns, light and heavy guns, and many of the them were seen to drop from the effects of the deadly fire.

An official announcement says that the fight on the Somme has resulted in the capture by the Chinook battalion of the entire "Quacking line defences" on the battle front from Youngstown to Cereal, besides other important sloughs north and south.

Slough headquarters, Sept. 1st.—The great battle on the Somme front to-day was one of the most fierce and bloodiest ever waged in this part of the country, says an official wireless message, via E. P. Smith's slough. All along this part of the theatre of war was "orful," and beggars description. Duckoplanes from the enemy's trenches were seen to rise majestically in the air, circling over and around our trenches, but our air craft and guns were soon brought into action, scattering death and destruction all around, bringing down some of the large U mallard type of the enemy's air craft. It was a glorious victory and will live long in the annals of history.

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It is reported that some of the braves got both ducks—and a ducking.

### Mr. W. Clunas Passes Away

#### AT A RIPE OLD AGE

There passed away at eight o'clock Monday morning last, a highly respected resident of Riddellvale, in the person of the late Wm. Clunas, at the ripe old age of 83 years. The deceased came from Cheshire, Bruce County, Ontario, some four years ago, to reside with his son-in-law, who resides at Riddellvale. The deceased was a bright and cheerful old gentleman, and respected by a wide circle of friends. The funeral took place on Tuesday, the 6th inst., interment in the Cereal cemetery.

### The Threshers' Lien Act

Now that the threshing season is approaching every owner or operator of a threshing outfit should read "The Threshers' Lien Act" carefully.

In the first place it provides that every thresher, whether he does custom work or threshes his own crop only, must each year before commencing operations register his machine with the Minister of Agriculture, at a cost of \$1.00, and procure a certificate of registration, which shall be kept posted in a conspicuous place upon the machine or separator during the whole of the threshing season. From the wording of the Act it would appear that if the certificate happens to be removed or accidentally lost the owner would have to send and get another certificate.

For failure to register his machine the offender loses his right to a lien for his account, and is liable to a penalty not exceeding \$25 and costs.

Recruiting in Canada for August totalled 7,246 as compared with 8,675 for July; 10,796 for June; 15,090 for May and 32,819 for the record month of March. The falling off in recruiting for August is about what was expected by the militia department considering all the circumstances of increased labor demand, harvest requirements, etc. The total number of recruits since the outbreak of war has now reached a total of 316,593, of whom 153,785 were enlisted since January 1st last.

Greece looks to be in for some trouble, of one sort or another.

### Letter From the Front

#### CYRIL WHITE HEARD FROM BY ALL

The following letter is from the pen of Cyril White, whose home is at Riddellvale. The letter is written from "Somewhere in France":

War is getting very interesting these days. We are asserting ourselves at last, and now in the trenches little exploits, which in themselves have little or no effect in personnel and to bigger things which constitute raids, the British are asserting themselves everywhere. Little things are occurring almost nightly on each little section of the line in which some daring piece of work is accomplished. The effect though on the troops is wonderful. It backs up our fellows immensely, at the same time making the Germans very nervous. It does one good to read the official reports of the locality, which are issued to us, for they all show that element of energy, initiative, and superiority which is ours now. Last time we (the bombers) pulled off quite an exciting little stunt. Some parties went over while others with rifle grenades worked hard, and for about 20 minutes we bombed them as heavily as anyone could wish for.

I have got a new job now, one that keeps me some distance from the firing line. I am 2nd in command, Adjutant, Quarter Master and a few other things, of a Divisional Grenade School. We do a tremendous lot of training, the work embracing grenades (of all kinds), trench mortars, trench engineering and wiring, and machine gunnery. Classes amounting to about 250 men daily attend, and there is a lot of organization necessary, as, at the same time, there are 1-day, 2 day, 3-day and 6-day courses of instruction going on. The work of organization, etc., chiefly falls on me, and as yet I have had the job entirely to myself, but hope to have assistance, as it just keeps me humping, and so much has to be thought about and remembered. There is no monotony of routine. It is an ever-changing aspect and arrangements have to be made well ahead.

At present there are only two of us running the school—Major Harbord, O.C., and myself as Adjt. and second in command. Of course, we have quite a good staff of instructors. The major

### A Praiseworthy Work

#### THAT SHOULD BE ENDORSED BY ALL

The Chinook board of trade is much alive to the interests of the sick in Chinook and surrounding country, and has applied to the Department of Agriculture to suggest the best workable scheme for Colholme, Sounding Creek, and Chinook to work upon for the establishment of a hospital in Chinook, and a favorable reply is expected from the Dept. The urgent need of such an institution being located here, with properly qualified nurses, is being felt almost every day. A hospital here would be a great convenience to many, and is almost a necessity. Under the present circumstances, in many cases, at least, it entails unnecessary expense and a long tedious journey to the city, and that, too, when time counts in some near-fatal cases; but with proper facilities and trained nurses could be treated at home—with a better chance of saving life, if in danger. The Chinook board of trade has been working on this scheme for some time, and we wish it every success in its praise-worthy effort in getting a hospital located in Chinook. It should receive the hearty support of everyone who has the welfare of the village at heart; but above all what it would mean to the unfortunate sick ones of being able to be properly nursed and looked after near at home, should occasion arise.

### WISH HIM A SPEEDY RECOVERY

We regret to learn that Mr. John Blair of Riddellvale is under the doctor's care. Recently Mr. Blair suffered from a slight stroke, and coupled with stomach trouble is not in a very good shape. His many friends wish him a speedy restoration to health and strength.

has been out here 18 months and I have 17 months to my credit, so I think we can justly claim our right to a position like this. The proportion of men with 18 months service is very small compared with the men who are out here now, and in my case it is still more extraordinary for I've never been wounded, and the chances are not very similar to my ease. However, I'm on a fairly safe job now.





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Duties—Six months residence and cultivation of land for three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required, except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

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### The War and Faith

#### HOW IT AFFECTS THE OLD COUNTRY

The following is taken from the Daily Mail (London, England) and gives an insight into the effect of the war on religion in the old country:

A notable thing is the effect of the war on religion. In the old days we were most of us drifting into a very easy-going state in which nothing seemed to matter very much and in which religion was treated as a metaphysical or emotional exercise. The war has stopped that. It has led at once to a great increase of religion. It has killed neutrality in faith. If you go to one of the great central churches, notably St. Martin's-in-the-Field, you will see in the daytime—when no regular service is on—that a number of people have come in for a time of quiet prayer. Nearly all of them are men; you will possibly not find more than one or two women in the aisles as against dozens of men. The churches are filled to-day in a way that they have never been before. In the Army as one young soldier put it, "All your agnosticism gets knocked out of you in your first bayonet charge."

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If about debt you think a bit  
This paradox you'll find,  
The faster you run into it  
The more you get behind.

It's a bad habit to cultivate the belief that others are in the wrong simply because they have different opinions.

Bills are out for a harvest-home dance to be held in Chinook, on Friday, Sept. 22nd

### Wanted

Two girls—one for dining room, \$30.00 per month; one as chamber maid, \$25.00 per month. Must be competent and good workers. Apply Chinook hotel.

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It's been a good while now since the Czar received a battle bulletin beginning: "I regret to report."

## Eggs And The Poultry Trade

The Western Canadian Farmers Great Opportunity to Build Up a Profitable Industry

Perhaps never again will Canadian Farmers have such a wonderful opportunity presented to them of developing a great, profitable, and abiding egg and poultry trade with Great Britain as is literally before them today. Their way today; and most assuredly if this great opportunity is grasped promptly, the result will be a poultry industry of substantial size and proportion which has never been imagined or even by the most enthusiastic.

There is a demand in the British market for eggs and poultry such as have never been known before. From the year 1900 to 1913 the importation of eggs into Great Britain increased from 177,103,334 dozens to 215,799,500 dozens. Owing to war conditions it is estimated that in 1915 and 1916 at least 100,000,000 dozen eggs daily must be cut off so far as the former sources of supply are concerned.

At the time of the outbreak of the English-Canadian war, exports of eggs amounted to practically nothing. We were not producing a substantial quantity of eggs for home consumption and our imports of eggs were increasing year by year.

Since the outbreak of the war Canada has exported considerable quantities of eggs to Great Britain; and careful consideration of the business done in Great Britain during the period from fall of 1914 to the present time will tell us, not only that we are in danger of losing a golden opportunity, but that the opportunity is one which we accept it.

In the first place there will be feared that we have not been shipping eggs of such quality as will encourage a continued demand from Britain after the time of straits has passed, simply because we now have no such quality of eggs as we might quite easily have had to ship. In spite of this unfortunate fact owing to the wonderfully favorable market for the production of the very finest quality of eggs, Canadian eggs have commanded higher prices on the British markets than United States eggs, which goes to show what could be accomplished if the effort were made.

Now comes the question: "How have we managed to export, eggs to the British markets at all?" It is by slightly raising the production cost by sending out our own eggs and replacing them with imported eggs. Thus, taking our western eggs we find that the eastern eggs will fit in the effort to meet the export demand. came west to buy eggs, but found that our western eggs generally were not of a quality such would find favor on the British markets, but they shipped them as far as possible and retained the western eggs for home consumption. Looking at the condition of the industry in Alberta today what did all this mean? It had been an even greater shortage than last season, the reasons for this being various; but in which are included a lack of interest and correct methods on the part of many. A shortage presented an opportunity to those who sent out the eastern eggs, others to snatch us from a terribly large portion of an industry so valuable, so easy to make a start in, and the returns from which, if correctly conducted, in every place are so quickly realized.

Today the Alberta hen has an average production to her credit of forty-nine eggs per month, by might say, has increased by one hundred per cent, given correct methods of breeding, feeding, housing, and general care; and this with exceedingly little added expense in running the farm.

It is true that our producers here are faced by many discouragements owing to the unsatisfactory marketing conditions which have prevailed; but a great opportunity is presented to the people of Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba, by the Dominion and Provincial Department of Agriculture, to take these existing conditions and take this wonderful industry seriously. Who can consider how few men day look upon poultry raising as one of the most important branches of agriculture and them, in spite of this fact, the cattle raising, to the extent of eggs alone produced in Canada in 1915 was \$30,000,000, what might be expected if the industry should be taken seriously and conducted as a real business? In 1914 the actual value of the poultry industry was over \$100,000,000 sold off our Canadian farms was two and a half times the value of the whole fruit crop; six times the value of all the grain produced to start with all the cattle products. Still the demand is for more and better poultry and eggs. The opportunity is here to build up a wonderful and profitable industry. Shall we throw this opportunity away for others to profit and regret our mistake in the future?

An old couple in the south were much distressed, owing to their son creating difficulties, bringing their son in the north would help them, they wrote stating their trouble, and saying that if he did not aid to them they would be obliged to go to the poor house.

A couple of weeks passed, and then came a letter from the son, saying: "My dear parents: Just wait another week and I'll come home and see you with you. Your affectionate son."

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## Development of Submarine

M. P. Prophesies Future Submarine Like Great Liner

Sir Joseph Compton Rickett, M.P., makes a startling prediction as to the future service of the submarine. "Very soon," he said, "we shall see warships darkened by huge airships, and its depth explored by submarines. Submerged traffic of warships or liners merged with humanity from weather."

Germany boasts that she is building vessels so spacious that they will carry mails and passengers to America. There is really no limit to their possible size except the depth of water in which they will have to operate.

The coming of the day will see the exhibition of a future liner like the old *Rococo*, the giant locomotive of the railway world. Compared with the early twentieth century specimen, the submarine an Atlantic liner has a river steamer.

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Many Opportunities Available For Correlating Farming Interests With School Work

In the public schools of most of the provinces of Canada, nature study is taught as a part of the prescribed course of work, but the systematic correlating of school subjects with practical life on the farm is not always fully utilized. In rural and village schools, particularly in the larger towns, the teacher in school work should be aroused and aided by his intimate contact with agriculture. A few suggestions are offered here for impressing upon the pupils the utility value of the subjects taught.

In connection with the teaching of arithmetic the following topics might be used as a basis for general instruction:

Neat methods of farming, farm records, e.g., milk and egg production, farm expenses, farm accounts, etc. These records will form the basis for numerous problems.

Cost of production, rent, labor, wear and tear of machinery; marketing of farm products, e.g., meat, eggs, produce, measurement of fields, woods, lumber, ice-houses, etc.; involved cheques, receipts, and commercial forms; taxation; mortgages.

The teaching of reading and the study of literature offer exceptional opportunities for arousing the interest of the pupil.

The best literature is replete with stories calculated to inspire a love of outdoor life and an interest in the country life, in which the country child comes in direct contact with Whittier's *The Bartons*, Burns' *To a Mountain Daisy*, and Lowell's description of a day in June are examples, and every teacher will be able to pick out scores of other pieces of merit.

## State Socialism

Sweeping Extension of System Predicted For Germany

If wars show which way the wind blows there is to be a sweeping extension of State Socialism. But it is a great opportunity for the people to the west of Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba, by the Dominion and Provincial Department of Agriculture, to take these existing conditions and take this wonderful industry seriously. Who can consider how few men day look upon poultry raising as one of the most important branches of agriculture and them, in spite of this fact, the cattle raising, to the extent of eggs alone produced in Canada in 1915 was \$30,000,000, what might be expected if the industry should be taken seriously and conducted as a real business?

As regards the municipalities, they are under pressure of the British poultry industry, eggs being forced to the wind blockage, being forced by the necessity of providing the highest possible supply of food to the largest population to start with, and then on their own account. For instance, such towns as Hanover and Mainz have bought landed estates for municipal cultivation. This is intended to them improve the supply of milk and pork to their citizens and regret our mistake in the future?

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## Farm Home Conveniences

Much Needed Improvements to Make the Rural Home Attractive

At the last annual meeting of the Commission of Conservation a report on survey conditions on 100,000 farms in Canada was presented. Some interesting data were secured respecting conditions in many rural homes.

Keeping the young people on the farm is one of Canada's national problems. Many can have no wives for the year to come, and the city conveniences of the city home constitutes one of the chief attractions. Notwithstanding this, however, very few farmers have introduced these conveniences into their homes.

Of the 100,000 farms, 68 per cent have young people in their families. With this large percentage of young people it is a regrettable fact that only two farmers out of every three have bathtubs in their houses. Only 62 per cent have closets, only 2.5 per cent have a complete service, and only 2.2 per cent have electric light. In these 400 houses, only 16.5 per cent have the telephone, 21 per cent have the car, and but 11.5 per cent have a radio in the home. These conditions are entirely controlled by the farmer.

A long series of eminent thinkers and investigators, from Comte and Buckle a century ago to Dr. Woods and Professor T. H. Huxley, have argued that man's progress depends on the welfare of the people. The welfare of the sea depths will permit the safety of the great liner, and our imports, exports, and passengers will pass freely from continental ports, we may navigate the surface, but plough our way to escape the buffet of storm or the hall of steel.

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Over 200 per cent have complete sanitary services in their homes, while 5 per cent have automobiles, and 13.5 per cent have either automobile, horse, and buggy for the young people.

Much has been said and written of the need to interest the farmer in the future resources of this continent will be greatly enhanced as a result of the war. Enormous quantities of timber are necessary used for military purposes in addition to what is unoccupied.

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## How to Impose World Peace

Humanizing and Civilizing Energies Are Needed

Fighting between national groups of individuals stands on precisely the same footing as fighting between individuals. The political stability and social order of the world depends on the strength of a tribunal having a strong police force behind it by means of allowing the individual farmer concerned to fight out quarrels between himself and his neighbors.

Keeping the young people on the farm is one of Canada's national problems. Many can have no wives for the year to come, and the city conveniences of the city home constitutes one of the chief attractions.

Notwithstanding this, however, very few farmers have introduced these conveniences into their homes.

Over 100,000 farms, 68 per cent

have young people in their families. With this large percentage of young people it is a regrettable fact that only two farmers out of every three have bathtubs in their houses.

Only 62 per cent have closets, only 2.5 per cent have a complete service, and only 2.2 per cent have electric light. In these 400 houses, only 16.5 per cent have the telephone, 21 per cent have the car, and but 11.5 per cent have a radio in the home.

These conveniences are introduced by the farmer.

A long series of eminent thinkers and investigators, from Comte and Buckle a century ago to Dr. Woods and Professor T. H. Huxley, have argued that man's progress depends on the welfare of the people.

"In this development we shall recover our communications, fo, in view of war we shall adopt the alternative of submarine navigation. The darkness of the sea depths will permit the safety of the great liner, and our imports, exports, and passengers will pass freely from continental ports, we may navigate the surface, but plough our way to escape the buffet of storm or the hall of steel.

"Having become amphibious we can use the waters in the best way suited to the purpose. A battle fleet will sail as a school of ships, an ever-lasting peace begins but it will be no longer the peac'e of the tomb, but the still waters and green depths of the ocean. Attempts may be made to sink the liner, but it is doubtful whether the vibration of water will convey sufficient information."

Over 200 per cent have complete sanitary services in their homes, while 5 per cent have automobiles, and 13.5 per cent have either automobile, horse, and buggy for the young people.

Much has been said and written of the need to interest the farmer in the future resources of this continent will be greatly enhanced as a result of the war. Enormous quantities of timber are necessary used for military purposes in addition to what is unoccupied.

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## After Harvest Cultivation

The following extracts are from the report on Illustration Farms given at the annual meeting of the Conservation Commission in January, 1916:

"Five of the farmers chosen to conduct illustration work had been practising after-harvest cultivation previous to the visits of the Commission's Instructor. Since his visits, twenty of the farmers have adopted this practice. Eighteen state that it has increased their yields, and that task that increased their profits from their farms.

George R. Barrie (Galt, Ont.): "Our experience with after-harvest cultivation has proved to us that it is better to keep the land in a better condition than to let it stand idle for a year."

Thomas McDowell, (Shawville, P.Q.): "After-harvest cultivation was not practiced in this community until we began to grow grain crops. Now we are doing quite a lot of it and it is very profitable for us."

F.C.N.: "After-harvest cultivation is good for the soil, and it is in reality a good way to keep the land in a better condition."

The cause of the remarkable vitality of Canada's thistles is the point that distinguishes them from prickly plants that are commonly mistaken for it is the long cord-like root. This root penetrates the soil to a depth of eight to fifteen inches or more, and it is at frequent intervals attached to the leaf stalks.

This root is often found to be attached to the leaf stalks, which are easily pulled out, and the leaf stalks are easily broken off by hand.

It is also apparent that submerges were built as early as the beginning of the seventeenth century. The origin of the invention is older still. Aristotle tells us that King Alexander the Great made a canal through some ditches of his country, and that he had a fleet of ships built for him to sail through them.

Previously to this, in 1534 a monk suggested to the king that he be allowed to make large shipments from this continent. This will mean a largely increased demand for timber.

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## Control of the Thistle

The unpopularity of Canada this is due largely to its unsightly appearance and its exceedingly spiny nature, due to extermination. Under ordinary cropping systems and with reasonable care, the thistle is at worst a disagreeable nuisance. Good care, however, has increased the quality and quantity of farm products, excepting hay, as much as do quick-wax, wild onions, wild mustard and others; nor is it an advantage to have a large number of alpine thistles flourish in the field.

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W. T. Hands, (Firth, Ont.): "If we want to keep the land in a better condition than to let it stand idle for a year, we must have a good crop to follow."

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### Village of Chinook

### NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS

THE following amendment to the Village Act has special reference to the new procedure for the raising of village taxes, and therefore has special reference to Chinook

By adding immediately after section 81 the following:

"81a. Any number of electors not less than 10 per cent. in number of the votes polled at the annual municipal election lawfully held prior to the petition having referred to, may by petition in writing signed by such electors submit to the council a by-law to adopt a system of taxation for a period not exceeding four years from the 31st day of December, 1915, providing for the imposition of taxes on buildings and improvements upon lands. If such petition is presented to the office of the recorder and contains a request that said by-law if not passed by the council shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of the municipality."

Said petition must be in the hands of the Secretary not later than Friday Sept. 8th, 1916.

A. NICHOLSON,  
Secretary

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